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1. OAK 9029 - SUPPLEMENT 4.

2. AN ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND THREE SA-2 SAM SITES HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED FOR THE FIRST TIME DURING THE CONTINUING SCAN OF PHOTOGRAPHY FROM MISSION 9029. DETAILS ON THE ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX AND THE THREE SAM SITES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. SHADRINSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX -- NEWLY IDENTIFIED

AN ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION NEAR SHADRINSK (56-05N 063-38E), 110KM ESE OF SVERDLOVSK. THE COMPLEX CONSISTS OF TWO ROAD-SERVED LAUNCH AREAS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, A RAIL-SERVED COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY AND A RAIL-TO-ROAD TRANSFER POINT.

THE LAYOUT OF THE COMPLEX RESEMBLES THE LAYOUT OF THE ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX AT YOSHRAR-OLA. THE LAUNCH AREAS AT THE SHADRINSK COMPLEX ARE 6.25 NM APART. TWO SA-2 SAM SITES ARE LOCATED IN THE GENERAL VICINITY OF THE COMPLEX.

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THIS IS THE FIRST PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE OF THE SHADRINSK LAUNCH COMPLEX. [REDACTED] COVERS THE TOWN OF SHADRINSK BUT NOT THE LAUNCH COMPLEX, AND DARKNESS AND CLOUDS PREVENT OBSERVATION OF THE SHADRINSK AREA ON [REDACTED]

GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES AND PHOTO REFERENCE DATA FOR FACILITIES AT THE COMPLEX ARE AS FOLLOWS (COORDINATES PLOTTED ON US ATC 0156-24A, 2d Ed, OCT 59, AND US ATC 0156-25, 1st Ed, JAN 59):

COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY 56-08N 063-41E
RAIL-TO-ROAD TRANSFER POINT 56-10W 063-41E
LAUNCH AREA A 56-09N 063-52E
LAUNCH AREA B 56-10N 064-03E

B. LYAKHOVICH SA-2 SAM SITE (DRU) -- NEWLY IDENTIFIED

COMPLETED SITE 2 NM SSE OF LYAKHOVICH, AT 53-00-35N 026-17-05E (PLOTTED ON AMS SERIES W501, SHEET NW 35-8, 4th Ed, SEP 59).

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C. MINSK SA-2 SAM SITE -- NEWLY IDENTIFIED

COMPLETED SITE 8.5 NM NORTH OF MINSK, AT 54-00-55N 027-34-25E

(PLOTTED ON AMS SERIES N501, SHEET NN 35-8, 4th Ed, SEP 59).

D. POTASHNYA SA-2 SAM SITE (DRU) -- NEWLY IDENTIFIED

COMPLETED SITE ONE NM EAST OF POTASHNYA, AT 53-23-05N 028-46-55E

(PLOTTED ON AMS SERIES N501, SHEET NN 35-9, 4th Ed, MAY 58).

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